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U.S. Patent Documents

Previously provided in applicant's Information Disclosure Statement filed April 9, 2002.

Foreign Patent Documents

No foreign documents are in the possession of the applicant at this time.

Other Documents

No other documents are in the possession of the applicant at this time.

Presentation at National Meetings

Ref. #	Journal	Author	Publication Date
CA	Plastics Additives & Compounding, the international magazine for users of additives	D. Stevenson, M. Harr, B. Hood, T. Jennings	Feb. 2002
MAT	Title	Flexible PVC stabilization: the phosphite approach	
Ref. #	Journal	Author	Publication Date
CB	Technical Bulletin 01-03	D. Stevenson, M. Harr, B. Hood, T. Jennings	September 2001
MAT	Title:	Dover Phosbooster Advanced Phosphite Ester Technology, cuts flexible PVC costs with no toxic heavy metals or solvents	
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CC	Vinyl Retec	D. Stevenson, M. Harr, M. Jakupca	Sep. 2001
MAT	Title:	Optimizing Cost Performance of Flexible PVC Compounds with PhosBoosters	

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CD	ACS	D. Stevenson, M. Harr, M. Jakupca	August 2001
MAT	Title: Phosphite Ester Compositions for PVC Compounds		
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CE	Journal of Vinyl & Additives Technology	D. Stevenson, M. Harr, M. Jakupca	March 2002
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Presentations at Invited Seminars

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This Information Disclosure Statement is based upon the information contained in the undersigned attorney's file as of the filing date of this statement and is inclusive of the best information known to the undersigned at that date. Applicant submits that the above references taken alone or in combination neither anticipate nor render obvious the present invention. Consideration of the foregoing in relation to this application is respectfully requested.

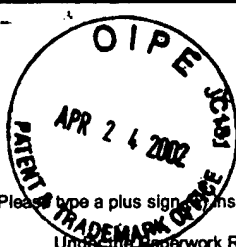
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